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1. THE INITIAL SCAN OF OLD HEAD MISSION G-193, 2 MARCH 1971, OVER CUBA REVEALED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION.
2. THE CIENFUEGOS AREA WAS COVERED ONCE BY PHOTOGRAPHY OF FAIR INTERPRETABILITY.

A. THE SOVIET N-CLASS SUBMARINE (SSN), THE KRESTA I-CLASS GUIDED MISSILE CRUISER (CLGM), THE UGRA-CLASS SUBMARINE TENDER (AS), AND THE LENINGRAD-CLASS TANKER OBSERVED AT CIENFUEGOS ON [REDACTED] WERE NO LONGER PRESENT.

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B. THE TWO SPECIAL-PURPOSE BARGES AND AN OKHTENSKIY-CLASS OCEAN RESCUE TUG (ATR) WERE AT CIENFUEGOS NAVAL BASE. THE ANTI-SUBMARINE NET, WHICH HAD BEEN CLOSED ON [REDACTED] WAS OPEN.

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C. CIENFUEGOS RADAR FACILITY 2 REMAINED OCCUPIED.

D. NO ACTIVITY WAS DISCERNIBLE ON CAYO ALCATRAZ OR CAYO OCAMPO.

E. CONSTRUCTION WAS CONTINUING ON THE TWO NEW ROADS EXTENDING SOUTHEASTWARD FROM CIENFUEGOS.

3. A LENINGRAD-CLASS TANKER WAS UNDERWAY, NORTHEAST OF MOA, AT APPROXIMATELY 1307Z.

4. OTHER AREAS COVERED BY PHOTOGRAPHY OF THE MISSION INCLUDE HOLGUIN, SANTIAGO DE CUBA, GUANTANAMO, CAMAGUEY, NUEVITAS, ANTILLA, MOA, MANZANILLO, CARDENAS, MATANZAS AND HICACOS PENINSULA.

5. THE MISSION SCAN CONTINUES AND THE IPIR WILL FOLLOW.

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